5484588/2022/VIG-I-AGC01 **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

A B S T R A C T

Agriculture & Cooperation Department – ACB Trap Cases – Allegation of corruption against Smt.K.Uma Maheswari, Mandal Agriculture Officer, O/o Asst. Director of Agriculture (R), Chodavaram Mandal, Visakhapatnam – Placed under suspension w.e.f. 27.04.2019 - Review of suspension held on 03.02.2022 – Revocation of suspension and reinstatement into service – Orders – Issued.

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AGRICULTURE AND CO-OPERATION (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 74 **Dated: 04.02.2022**

Read the following:

1. Radio Message received from the Deputy Superintendent of Police, ACB, Visakhapatnam CR No.06/RCT-VSP/2019, dt.26.04.2019.
2. Proceedings No.Vig.II(5) 72/2019, dt.30.04.2019 of the Spl.Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.
3. From the Spl.Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.Vig.II (5) 72/2019, dt.18.02.2020.
4. Govt. Memo.No.AGC01-AGRI/355/2019 (1), A & C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.12.03.2021.
5. Govt. Memo.No.AGC01-AGRI/355/2019 (1), A & C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.11.10.2021.

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Whereas, in the reference 2nd read above, Smt.K.Uma Maheswari, Mandal Agriculture Officer, O/o Asst. Director of Agriculture (R), Chodavaram Mandal, Visakhapatnam, has been placed under suspension w.e.f. 27.04.2019 with regard to ACB trap case for demanding and accepting Rs.19,000/- from Sri Pasumarthi Santosh Ramu @ Santosh, S/o Late Adinarayana, Sales Executive, M/s. Pasumarthi Adinarayana & Sons and M/s.Sitarama Traders (Pesticides and Fertilisers Business), Chodavaram, Visakhapatnam District for forwarding the application for renewal of Fertilisers License of M/s. Pasumarthi Adinarayana & Sons and reward for issuing of pesticide permanent license in the name of M/s. Pasumarthi Adinarayana & Sons and M/s.Sitarama Traders.

2. The Government have reviewd the case of suspension of the above Accused Officer, from time to time, in the Committee consisting of the Chief Commissioner, RBKs. & Special Chief Secretary to Government Agriculture, Agriculture & Cooperation Department, A.P. Secretariat, the Commissioner of Agriculture and the ACB officials and in the review held on 03.02.2022 decided to revoke the suspension in view of the fact that more than 2 ½ years have elapsed since suspension.

3. Now, therefore, the Government, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-rule (5) of Rule 8 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991, hereby revoke the said order of suspension in respect of Smt.K.Uma Maheswari, Mandal Agriculture Officer, O/o Asst. Director of Agriculture (R), Chodavaram Mandal, Visakhapatnam with immediate affect and order to reinstate her into service without prejudice to the prosecution/Departmental proceedings pending against her and to post her in a far off place and in non-focal position on reinstatement.

4. The Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur shall take necessary further action, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

POONAM MALAKONDAIAH
CHIEF COMMISSIONER, RBKs &
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:

Smt.K.Uma Maheswari, Mandal Agriculture Officer,
O/o Asst. Director of Agriculture (R), Chodavaram Mandal,
Visakhapatnam (Under suspension).
(Through the Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur)
The Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.

Copy to :

The Director General, ACB, Pandit Nehru Bus Station, NTR Administrative Block, 2nd Floor, Vijayawada A.P.
The Vigilance Commissioner, A.P.V.C., A.P.Secretariat.
Sf/Sc.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER//

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SECTION OFFICER